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TWENTY-FOURTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CURATOR.

To the President and Members of the Columbia Historical Society:

I herewith hand you my twenty-fourth annual report as Curator of this Society, showing the following books and pamphlets acquired by exchange or gift, during the year 1917:

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Calendar of Papers of Franklin Pierce, prepared by W. L. Leech.

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Washington Historical Quarterly (Seattle, Washington), July, Oct., 1916, January and April, 1917.

NEBRASKA STATE HISTORICAL SOCIETY, Publications of (Lincoln, Neb.), Vol. XVIII, 1917.

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Proceedings, 1916.

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Photograph of A. T. Britton (framed), presented by James J. Becker.

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OPEN BOATS, by Alfred Noyes.

CATHOLIC FOUNDERS OF THE NATIONAL CAPITAL, by Margaret B. Downing, 1917.

MEMORIAL OF MRS. TEUNIS S. HAMLIN, by the Congregation of the Church of the Covenant (2 copies).

STANDARD GUIDE OF WASHINGTON, D. C., 1886.

CATALOGUE OF COLUMBIAN UNIVERSITY, 1897-8, 1900-1.

VARIOUS FORMS OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT, by W. B. Bryan (1898).

FINANCES OF NATIONAL CAPITAL PARTNERSHIP, by Theodore W. Noyes (1898).

Washington as a Center of Learning, by Clifford Howard (1904).

Contributions to Archeology of the District of Columbia, by Louis A. Kengla.

WAR OF THE METALS, by Theodore W. Noyes (1899).

"COLUMBIA HEIGHTS," by the Columbia Heights Citizens Association (1904).

A CENTURY OF GEOGRAPHY IN THE UNITED STATES, by Marcus Baker (1898).

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SUPREME COURT OF D. C., GENERAL TERM, AT LAW NO. 22,778 (JANE AUSTIN VS. DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA). 11 copies. Code of Law of the District of Columbia, 1879.

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MANUFACTURING IN THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, by Louis P. Shoemaker.

Message of the Mayor of the City of Washington, June 29, 1868 (44 copies).

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Respectfully submitted,

James F. Hood, Curator.

April, 1918.